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Mattabessett Seed Store,  
MIDDLETOWN, CONN.

# FRED. P. BURR & CO.

**H**AVE been in the seed business for the past sixteen years, without change of firm or location. Situated in the Connecticut Valley—noted as the oldest and best section of the United States for growing vegetable seeds—we enjoy an advantage over other seedsmen.

It is our privilege to meet often, and to have personal acquaintance with, the men who grow our seeds; often, men whose fathers and grandfathers grew seed for former generations; men whose knowledge and skill cannot be quickly attained; truly are they “to the manner born.” It is our privilege to see that perfect and typical parent stock is selected; to watch the progress of growth, and, at harvest, to select the soundest, best developed seeds.

These valuable, very essential advantages may not be enjoyed by seedsmen in the large cities. Granted they excel in pretty pictures, in large catalogues, filled with florid descriptions of things perhaps they never saw growing; but you want seeds.

Bear in mind that, while our trade by mail, express and freight is very heavy, a great part of our sales is direct with skillful gardeners, who come yearly to the Mattabessett Seed Store for their seeds, from all over Connecticut and neighboring States. We thus gain valuable information by personal conference from those who plant, as well as from those who grow our seeds; and are often able to give points of great value to our customers.

We hope this year to make your acquaintance through a trial order. You will find no seedsmen more earnest to give satisfaction. Every order receives the same care and diligence in filling as if the buyer were personally present. Many planters experience serious loss in waiting days, and even weeks, for their seeds after ordering; their seedsman being engaged in buying seeds to fill orders received, at a season when he should be selling.

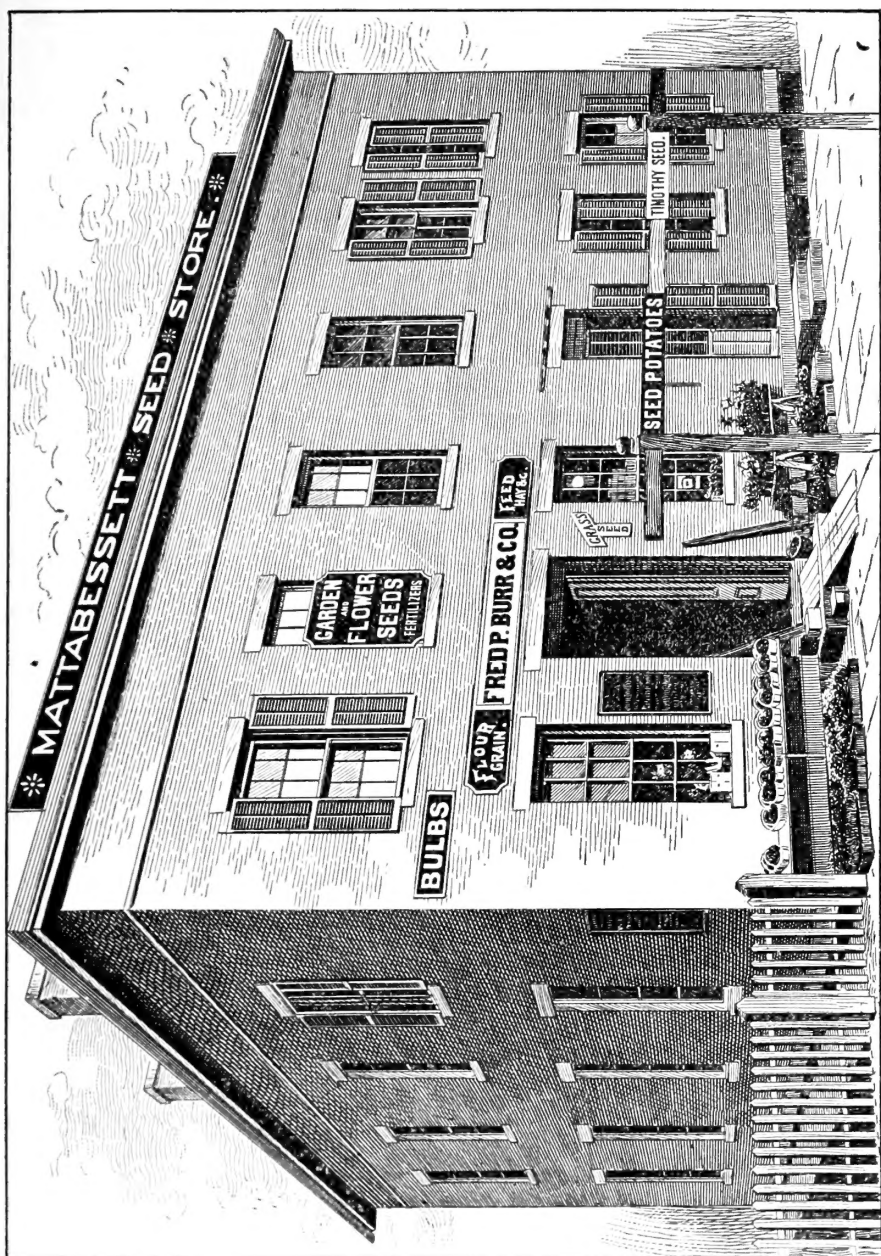
From our immense bulk stock, during the winter season, our clerks put up, under our own personal supervision, many thousands of bags and packages of seeds, so that, with our long experience and thorough system, the most varied order can be filled in a marvelously short time. If in a hurry, write “*rush*” on your order, and we promise quick dispatch. We reach all points quickly by boat or rail. Hoping to make your acquaintance this year through a trial order, we are,

Cordially yours,

FRED. P. BURR & CO.,

Mattabessett Seed Store,

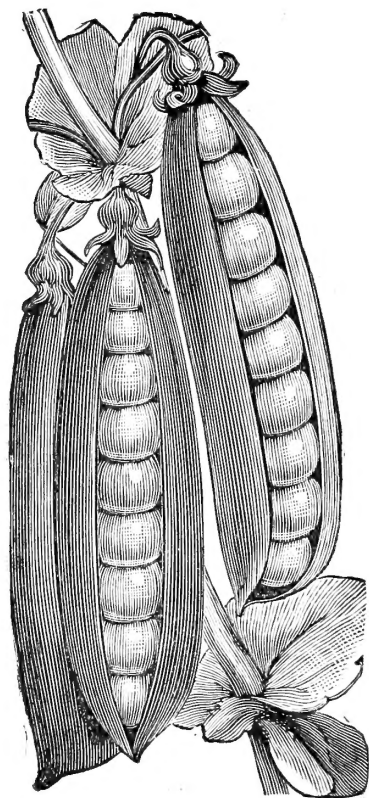
MIDDLETOWN, CONN.



# MATTABESSETT SEED STORE

## LIST OF

# VEGETABLE NOVELTIES.



Peep o' Day Pea.

### PEEP O' DAY PEA.

Since putting this wonderful early pea on the market in 1885, we have never yet seen it equalled for earliness, evenness of ripening and large yield—points essential for a market gardener's first crop pea. The Peep o' Day Pea grows to a uniform height of  $2\frac{1}{2}$  feet, and excels in yield, as it does in earliness, any early pea we ever tried. Unlike other early June peas, its  *pods are large and completely filled with good size peas of fine flavor.* The demand for Peep o' Day Peas has been so large, that our stock has been exhausted every year before the season was near over. We regret to say that we had but two-thirds of a crop this season. However, we largely increased the planting, and have a larger quantity than ever before, but shall be unable to supply any to dealers, as we have already booked orders enough to exhaust our surplus stock, and shall require all we have for retail customers. We earnestly request everyone who wants the earliest pea, to test the Peep o' Day this season. You will be both pleased and profited. Quart, 25 cents; peck, \$1.25; bushel, \$4.50.

MIDDLETOWN PENNY PRESS, June 11, 1892.

To-day Mr. D. B. Brooks, the veteran market gardener, brought the first two loads of native green peas to this market this year. They were the Peep o' Day variety, and sold right off the cart for \$2.00 a bushel.

CROMWELL, CONN., December 11, 1893.

Having a few dollars due me from —, money which I sent them a year ago for seeds which they failed to send, and being unable to get my money back, I had them send their earliest peas, to balance the account. If I had let them keep the money, and had bought only Peep o' Day peas, I would have been better off. I want to engage my usual quantity for 1894.

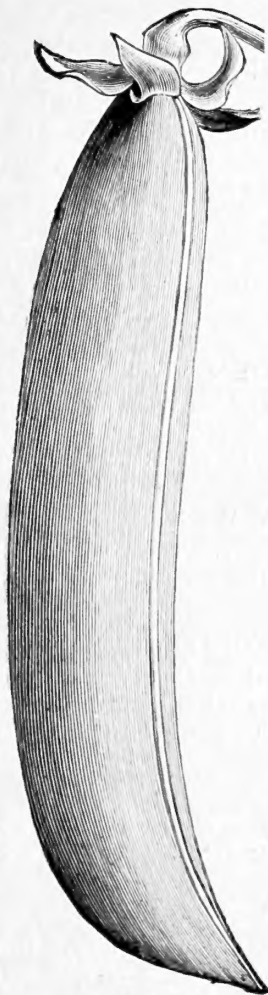
I have grown vegetables for market for nearly fifty years. Your Peep o' Day peas are the earliest and most prolific of any I can find. The first in market and most profitable to grow. The first two loads I sold last June brought me two dollars a bushel. All your seeds have been so good that I am glad to buy them.

D. R. BROOKS.

See Our Flower Seed List.

**DWARF CHAMPION PEA.**

One of the best mid-season peas we know of, handsome and very prolific, and a prime favorite with our customers. Vines stout, three feet high, with large pods, filled with large peas; the flavor equal to the Champion of England. Peas remain green and tender on the vines for a long time. The Dwarf Champion is the best pea in the whole list for July planting for a late crop. Quart, 30 cents; peck, \$1.75; bushel, \$6.00.



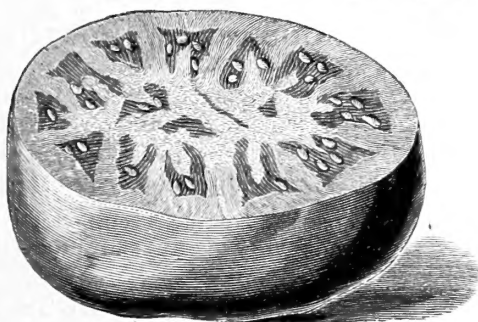
Telephone Pea.

**TELEPHONE PEA.**

This grand pea grows about four feet high. Is an enormous cropper; its very stout vine, loaded with immense pods, often containing seven mammoth peas of the finest flavor. One of the finest late peas ever introduced. Should be planted by all this season. Those unacquainted with its superb qualities, will be more than well pleased. Quart, 30 cents; peck, \$1.50; bushel, \$5.00.

**GIANT SUMMER CROOK-NECK SQUASH.**

This Squash is double the size of the common Summer Crook-neck, while it is equally early, and in flavor surpasses all Summer Squashes. We thoroughly tested its merits, and introduced it to our customers through our Catalogue of 1890; being one of the first retail seedsmen of the United States to introduce this Squash. It is superseding the old variety whenever once tried. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 20 cents.

**DWARF CHAMPION TOMATO.**

Dwarf Champion Tomato.

We consider this the most valuable Tomato for the kitchen garden. Growing erect and stocky, it requires no support. Its fruit is borne well above the ground; round, perfectly smooth, *very early* and *prolific*, and ripens *without cracking*. The flesh is very solid, having few seeds. (See cut.) Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 25 cents.

## BUSH BEANS.



Golden-Eyed Wax.

### EARLY GOLDEN-EYED WAX.

Early and very productive, vines being covered with a profusion of yellow, waxy pods, held well above the ground, and absolutely free from rust. Quart, 30 cents; peck, \$1.50; bushel, \$5.00.

### YOSEMITE MAMMOTH WAX.

The largest of all wax bush beans. Pods eight inches long, very large round, nearly solid pulp, entirely stringless, cook tender and of fine flavor. Of fine appearance, being a rich golden color; combining large size, superior quality and great productiveness. It will please all. Packet, 10 cents; pint, 25 cents; quart, 40 cents.

### IMPROVED RUST-PROOF GOLDEN WAX.

This Bean has all the good qualities of the old Golden Wax, but is much more prolific, the pods larger and handsomer, and has proven *absolutely rust proof*, through dry as well as wet seasons. Quart, 30 cents; peck, \$1.50; bushel, \$6.00.

### WARDWELL'S NEW KIDNEY WAX.

This new wax bean is very early and a profuse bearer. The pods are pale yellow, five inches long, perfectly stringless, and of the finest flavor. Quart, 30 cents; peck, \$1.50; bushel, \$6.00.

### GODDARD OR BOSTON FAVORITE.

This is a great improvement on the Horticultural or Quail Head. The beans being twice as long, and the table qualities the same, while in yield it surpasses the Cranberry bean. It is very popular with our customers. Quart, 20 cents; peck, \$1.25; bushel, \$5.00.

### LOW'S CHAMPION.

The handsomest of all the green podded beans, the richest in flavor, and entirely stringless. Very hardy and productive. Quart, 20 cents; peck, \$1.25; bushel, \$5.00.

### BURPEE'S BUSH LIMA.

*Large Lima Beans*, growing on erect bushes, twenty inches high. It is an immense yielder, each bush being covered with large pods, filled with *very large beans*, of the same size and flavor as the large pole Lima; *wholly unlike the small bush Lima*. Our stock is genuine. Wholesale price on application. Packet, 15 cents; pint, 40 cents; quart 65 cents.

**Quality First, then Price.**

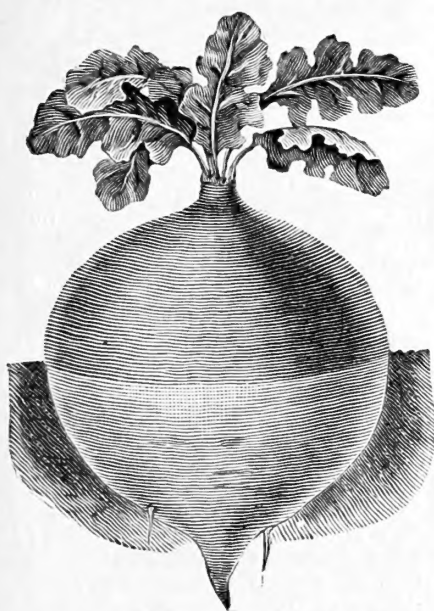


**KING OF THE GARDEN LIMA.**

The genuine K. O. G. is the largest, earliest and most productive Lima bean. The green beans are of unusual size. The immense pods grow in clusters, and seldom contain less than five beans. It outyields any other Lima. It don't pay to plant any other pole Lima. Pint, 20 cents; quart, 30 cents.

**GOLDEN CLUSTER WAX POLE BEAN.**

Begins to bear early in July and continues till Fall. The pods eight inches long, of a beautiful yellow color, and so freely produced as to nearly hide the poles. A very few hills will supply a family with delicious string beans, at a season when low snap beans have gone by. Flavor delicious. Packet, 10 cents; pint, 20 cents; quart, 40 cents.



Burr's Improved Swede Turnip.

and absolutely stringless. In flavor it surpasses any other celery; blanches very easily, requiring only a few days' earthing up, and keeps the longest of any celery. We were among the first dealers to introduce this grand celery in the United States. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 35 cents.

**BURR'S IMPROVED SWEDE TURNIP.**

This is the most perfect strain of Rutabaga Turnip ever grown. Its flesh is bright yellow, very hard, sweet and fine grained. When once tried no other will be grown. Its popularity is so great, after but three years in the market, that we sold every ounce of our stock last year, long before the season was over. We shall have no seed to offer until our new crop is harvested early in June. Ounce, 10 cents; quarter, 20 cents; pound, 60 cents.

**GIANT PASCAL CELERY.**

But about one foot tall; the stalks of this superb celery are remarkably wide, thick and solid; crisp, brittle

and absolutely stringless. In flavor it surpasses any other celery; blanches very easily, requiring only a few days' earthing up, and keeps the longest of any celery. We were among the first dealers to introduce this grand celery in the United States. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 35 cents.

IVORYTON, CONN.


Thanks for the generous package of seeds you sent with those I ordered. Your dealings with me have always been honorable to you, and I am gratefully yours,

(REV.) L. S. GRIGGS.

**Orders Filled with Quick Dispatch.**



## Flower and Field Seeds, Bulbs, Etc.

 Please observe that prices herein quoted include postage on all Seeds by the packet, ounce and pound, except Grass Seeds, Onion Sets, Corn, Peas, and Beans, which require 15 cents per quart, 8 cents per pint extra, if sent by mail. Sweet Corn requires 10 cents per quart, and 6 cents per pint.

Twenty cents each must be added to every order, for one up to two bushels of seed, to pay for bag, and ten cents for peck and half-bushel bags.

N. B.—Not less than quarter pound or quarter bushel will be sold at the pound and bushel rates. All Seeds less than one-fourth pound, at ounce price; less than four quarts, at quart price.

**To Dealers and Market Gardeners.**—We can meet the prices of any reliable dealers for the same quantity of seeds. Whether you have bought or not, we cordially invite you to visit our store and inspect the largest assortment of seeds ever shown in this country. Our facilities for supplying all large trade are complete. Compare our prices, but don't stop there; try our seeds; they will prove their worth. Send for anything you need in the seed line, as we keep many varieties, which, owing to their small sales, we do not list in this Catalogue. Middletown reaches all points promptly by boat or rail.

**CHANGES.**—Owing to the great fluctuations of the market as the season advances, we cannot be bound by these prices for any length of time, although it is our custom to make as slight variations as possible.

**REMIT** either by **money order, registered letter, or bank draft.** Small amounts, not exceeding one dollar, may be sent in stamps or postal notes. *Letters can now be registered for eight cents.*

**NOTICE.**—While we take the greatest care to have all seeds pure and reliable, we do not give any warranty, and will not be responsible for the crop in any respect. *If not accepted on these terms, the seeds must be returned at once, and money paid will be refunded.*

**The Best Seeds, the Cheapest.**

# **ASPARAGUS.**

## **SEED.**

	Packet.	Ounce.	Pound.
Barr's Mammoth, -	\$0.05	\$0.15	\$1.25
Conover's Colossal, -	.05	.10	.50
Palmetto, - - -	.05	.10	.50

## **ROOTS.**

	Per 100.	Per 1000.
Large Two-Years Old, Barr's Mammoth, - - -	\$1.25	\$7.50
Large Two-Years Old, Conover's, -	0.75	6.00
Large Two-Years Old, Palmetto, -	1.00	8.00

Every garden should have a bed of Asparagus.

## **BUSH BEANS—Wax Pod.**

If wanted by mail, add ten cents per pint and fifteen cents per quart to price on beans.

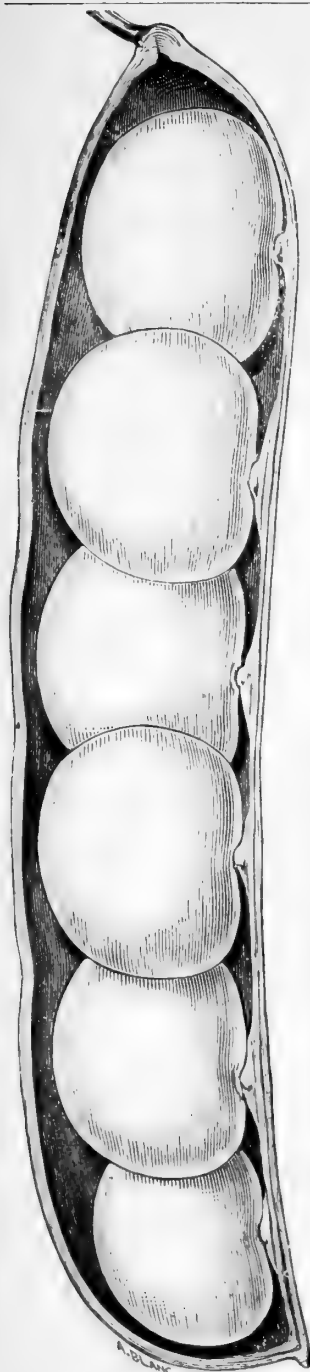
	Pint.	Qt.	Peck.
Early Golden Eye, fine, -	.15	.30	1.50
Early Golden Wax, - - -	.15	.30	1.50
Early White, Ivory Pod, -	.20	.40	2.00
Flageolet Wax, Violet, -	.20	.40	2.00
German Black Wax, Dwarf, -	.15	.25	1.50
Golden Wax, Improved, -	.20	.30	1.50
Wardwell's New Kidney Wax, -	.20	.30	1.50
Yosemite Mammoth, - - -	.25	.40	2.50

## **BUSH BEANS—Green Pod.**

Boston Small Pea, - - -	.10	.20	\$1.00
Burpee's Bush Lima, - - -	.40	.60	4.00
Dreer's Bush Lima, - - -	.40	.60	4.00
Early China, or Red Eye, -	.10	.20	1.25
Extra Early Red Valentine, -	.15	.25	1.25
Early Mohawk, - - -	.10	.20	1.25
Early Yellow Six Weeks, -	.10	.20	1.25
Early Yellow Eye, - - -	.10	.20	1.25
Goddard, or Boston Favorite, -	.15	.20	1.25
Henderson's Bush Lima, - -	.20	.35	2.00
Horticultural, or Quail Head, -	.15	.20	1.25
Low's Champion, new, fine, -	.15	.20	1.25
Red Kidney, - - -	.10	.20	1.00
White Kidney, - - -	.10	.20	1.00
White Marrowfat, - - -	.10	.20	1.00
White Pea, - - -	.10	.15	.75

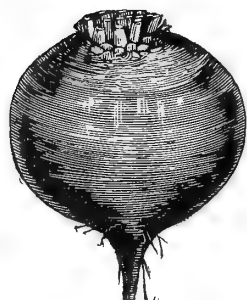
## **BEANS—Pole.**

Case Knife, - - -	.15	.30	\$1.50
Challenger Lima, - - -	.20	.35	2.00
Dreer's, or Potato Lima, -	.20	.35	2.00
Extra Early Jersey Lima, -	.20	.35	2.00
Early Golden Cluster Wax, -	.20	.40	2.00
Extra Large Lima, - - -	.20	.35	2.00
Horticultural or Cranberry, -	.15	.25	1.50
King of the Garden Lima, -	.15	.30	2.00
Scarlet Runner, - - -	.20	.35	1.75



**BEET.**

Per Packet, 5 cents.



Eclipse.

		Ounce.	Quarter.	Pound.
Bastian's Early Blood Turnip,	-	\$0.10	.20	.50
Dewing's Improved,	-	.10	.15	.50
Early Flat Bassano,	-	.10	.20	.60
Edmand's Early Blood Turnip,	-	.10	.20	.60
Crosby's Extra Early Egyptian,	-	.10	.20	.55
Extra Early Eclipse, best early,	-	.10	.20	.55
Lentz's Hybrid,	-	.10	.20	.50
Long Smooth Blood,	-	.10	.20	.50
Swiss Chard, or Sea-kale Beet,	-	.10	.20	.60
Yellow Turnip, sweet and handsome,	-	.10	.20	.60

**MANGEL WURZEL.**

			Quarter.	Pound.
Golden Tankard,	-	-	\$0.15	.40
Large Red Globe,	-	-	.15	.35
Lane's White Sugar, Improved,	-	-	.20	.40
Mammoth Prize Long Red,	-	-	.15	.40
Norbiton Giant, the favorite, long red,	-	-	.15	.40
Yellow Globe,	-	-	.15	.40

**BROCCOLI.**

	Packet.	Ounce.
Early White Cape,	\$0.10	.30
Early Purple Cape,	.10	.30

**BRUSSELS SPROUTS.**

	Packet.	Ounce.
Best French,	\$0.10	.20
Carter's Perfection,	.10	.30

**CABBAGE.**

Packet, 5 cents.



Fottler's Early Brunswick.

Our Cabbage Seed is all Northern grown, from perfect specimen heads that would bring the highest price in market. It cannot be sold to compete with trash grown from stumps and refuse. We handle no cheap imported seeds, of unknown origin.

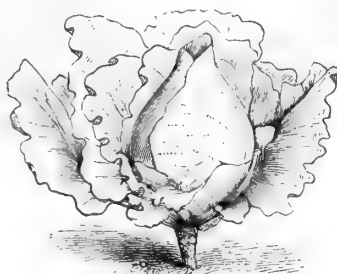
MESSRS. FRED. P. BURR &amp; Co. :

I used about two pounds of your cabbage seed in 1893, and for sureness of heading and trueness of type it could not be surpassed. I also sent away and bought the same varieties, paying a dollar more a pound, as the seed was advertised as extra fancy, but your cabbage seed was fully equal to it in every respect. Have used a large variety of your seeds for several years and they have always given satisfaction. Yours truly,

IRA J. TRENCH.

# CABBAGE.

	Ounce.	Quarter.	Pound.
All Seasons, or Vandergaw, \$0.25	0.75	2.25	
Burr's Large Flat Dutch, fine, .20	.60	2.00	
Extra Early Express, - .25	.75	2.00	
Extra Early Etampes, - .20	.60	2.00	
Early Flat Dutch, - .20	.60	2.00	
Early Jersey Wakefield, - .25	.75	2.25	
Early Summer, - .25	.75	2.25	
Early Winningstadt, true, - .25	.75	2.00	
Early York, - .20	.60	2.00	
Fottler's Early Brunswick, .25	.75	2.25	
Large Late Drumhead, - .20	.60	2.00	
Perfection Savoy, Drumhead, .25	.75	2.50	
Red Dutch, pickling, - .25	.75	2.50	
Stone-mason Drumhead, - .20	.60	2.00	



Early Winningstadt.

# CARROT.

	Ounce.	Pound.
Chantenay, - - - \$0.10	\$0.80	
Danvers Half Long, Stump, .10	.75	
Earliest French Forcing, .15	1.00	
Guerande, or Oxheart, - .10	.80	
Large White Belgian, - .10	.60	
Long Orange, Improved, .10	.75	

# CRESS.

	Packet.	Ounce.
Extra Curled, - - - \$0.05	.10	

# CORN SALAD OR FETTICUS.

	Packet.	Ounce.
Large Leaved, - - - \$0.05	0.10	

# CHICORY.

Large Rooted, - - - .05	.10	
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# CAULIFLOWER.

Packet, 25 cents.

	¼ Ounce.	Ounce.
Early Snowball, true, \$1.00	\$3.50	
Extra Early Erfurt, - .50	2.00	

# CELERIAC.

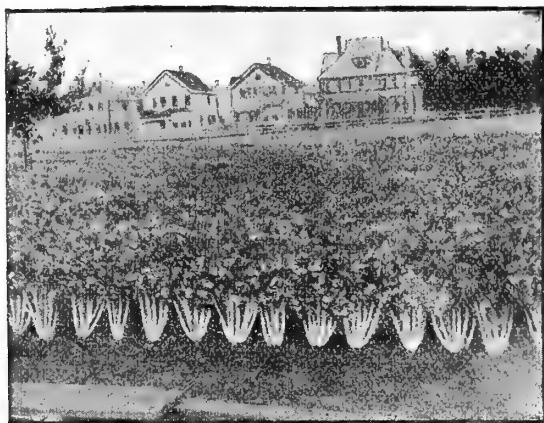
Large Smooth Prague, pkt. 5c., oz. 30c.

We recommend all Gardeners and Planters to try the **Mattabessett Finest Yellow Globe Danvers Onion**, all grown from selected bulbs.

Don't buy "Commission Seeds," but send us postage stamps, and **Burr's Fresh New Seeds** will reach you by next mail.

# PARTICULAR CUSTOMERS.

We are proud to say that our customers are particular and want good seed. Most of them came to us, knowing they could get *good seeds*, and not because we sold cheaper than others. Particular customers are the ones who stick to a firm and build up a business; while buyers of cheap seeds can never be satisfied. We do not have all the good seeds in the world--other seedsmen have as good; others not as good. You want the quality that we handle; the best is none too good for you. If our prices are low, it is because our expenses are comparatively low, not because the seed is cheap in quality. If our prices seem high on any seeds, it is because the strain is superior. No one can sell as good seeds at a less price, nor better at the same price.



OUR CELERY UNDER CULTIVATION.

We do not compete with imported Seed as offered by some Seedsmen at low prices.

**CELERY.**

Per Packet, 10 cents.

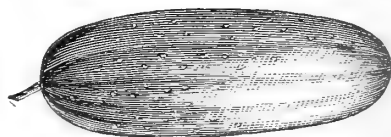
	Ounce.
New Giant Pascal,	\$0.25
Golden Self-Blanching, favorite,	.30
Gold Heart Dwarf,	.25
White Plume, genuine,	.30
Boston Market, true,	.25
Early Arlington,	.25
New Rose, handsome,	.30
Crawford's Half Dwarf,	.25
London Red, solid,	.25
Celeriac, turnip-rooted,	.20
Celery Seed for flavoring,	15c. per quarter pound.

**CUCUMBER.**

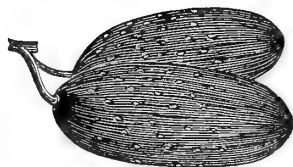
Packet, 5 cents.



Long Green.



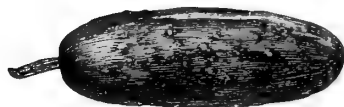
Improved White Spine.



Early Cluster.

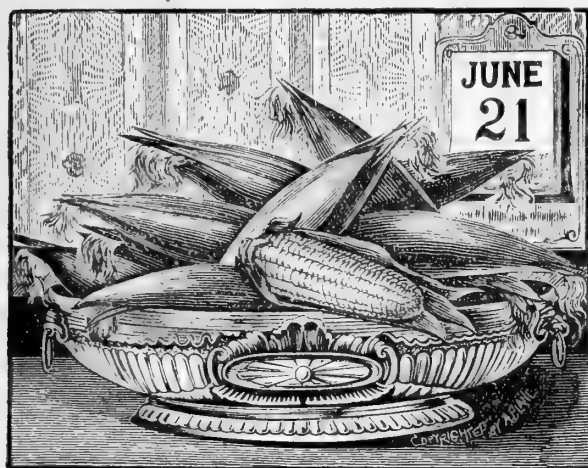
	Ounce.	Pound.
Boston Pickling, - - - -	\$0.10	\$0.75
Early Cluster, - - - -	.10	.75
Early Frame, - - - -	.10	.75
Early Russian, earliest, - -	.10	.75
Giant Pera, - - - -	.10	.80
Improved White Spine, - -	.10	.75
London Long Green, - - -	.10	.75
Nichol's Medium Green, - -	.10	.75
Tailby's Hybrid, long green, -	.10	.80
Thorburn's New Everbearing, -	.10	.75
Westerfield's Chicago Pickling, -	.10	.80

Serpent or Snake, packets only, 10 cents.



Boston Pickling.

**Small Orders and Large, Faithfully Filled.**

**SWEET CORN.**

*If to go by mail, add 10c. per qt. or 6c. per pint, for postage.*

We handle no Western seed which lacks sweetness, nor kiln-dried stock of doubtful germinating quality. Our Sweet Corn is Eastern grown, and for earliness, sweetness, and purity, cannot be excelled. The Early Cory is the *earliest* corn, as well as one of the sweetest. Thorough tests have proved this. The Cory is the most popular extra early corn.

Early Cory—The Earliest Sweet Corn.

	Quart.	Peck.	Bushel.
Burbank's Early Maine, - - - - -	\$0.25	\$1.00	\$3.50
Country Gentleman, - - - - -	.25	1.00	4.00
Extra Early Cory, true, - - - - -	.20	1.00	3.50
Early Crosby, or Sugar, - - - - -	.20	.90	3.00
Early Marblehead, - - - - -	.20	.90	3.00
Early Minnesota, - - - - -	.20	.90	3.00
Egyptian, late, - - - - -	.20	.90	3.00
Moore's Early Concord, - - - - -	.20	.90	3.00
New Gold Coin (short crop), - - - - -	.20	1.25	4.00
Ne Plus Ultra, or Shoe Peg, - - - - -	.20	1.00	3.00
Perry's Hybrid, - - - - -	.20	.90	3.00
Shaker, large, early, - - - - -	.20	.90	3.00
Squantum, or Potter's Excelsior, - - - - -	.20	.90	3.00
Stowell's Evergreen, extra, - - - - -	.20	1.00	3.25
White Early Cory, new, - - - - -	.25	1.50	5.00

**FIELD AND ENSILAGE CORN.**

See under the head of **Field Seeds**.

**DANDELION.**

	Packet.	Oz.
Large Leaved, - - -	\$0.10	.50

**EGG PLANT.**

New York Purple Improved, \$0.10	.40
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**ENDIVE.**

Moss Curled, ornamental, \$0.05	.10
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**KALE, OR BORECOLE.**

	Packet.	Oz.
Green Curled Scotch, - - -	\$0.05	.10
German Greens, - - -	\$.05	.10

**KOHL RABI.**

Early White Vienna, - - -	\$0.05	.20
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**LEEK.**

Broad, or Flag, - - -	\$0.05	.25
Large Scotch, - - -	.05	.25

**Peep O' Day Peas are the Earliest.**



## LETTUCE.

Packet, 5 cents.

The Denver Market Lettuce is the finest and handsomest of all the varieties. The heads are large and solid, the leaves beautifully crinkled, of a light green color, and, while a very early variety, it keeps crisp a long time, and is very slow to run to seed. Per packet, 5 cents; ounce, 30 cents.

	Ounce.
Big Boston, - - - - -	\$0.25
Boston Market, black seed, - -	.25
Boston Market, white seed, - -	.25
Deacon, large solid head, - -	.20
Denver Market, crinkled, - -	.20
Early Curled Silesia, - - -	.20
Early Curled Simpson, black seed,	.15
Early Curled Simpson, white seed,	.15
Hanson Head, true, - - -	.15
Large India, very large, - -	.20
Oak Leaved, handsome, - -	.20
Prize Head, very tender, - -	.20
Tennis Ball, Burr's earliest, W. S.,	.40
Tomhannock, fine, tinted leaf, -	.20
Yellow Buttercup, - - -	.20
Cos, Paris White, best sort, -	.20



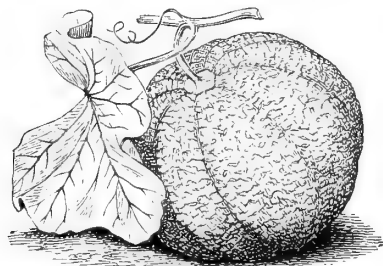
Tennis Ball (Burr's earliest forcing.)



Early Curled Simpson.

## MUSK MELON.

Packet, 5 cents.

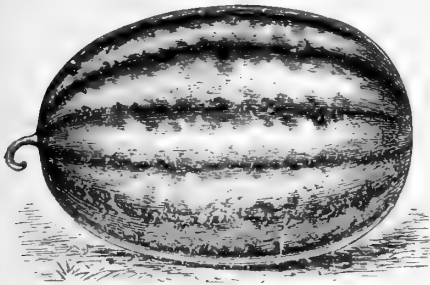


New Early Hackensack.

	Ounce.	Quarter
Delmonico, delicious, - -	\$0.10	.30
Miller's Cream, or Osage, -	.10	.25
Montreal Nutmeg, - -	.10	.25
New Emerald Gem, fine, -	.10	.25
New Ex. Early Hackensack, -	.15	.30
Skillman's Fine Netted, -	.10	.25
Green Citron, for preserves, -	.10	.25

First, quality; then, price, in Seeds.




**DIXIE WATERMELON.**

Splendid new sort; delicious in flavor; surpassing the famous Kolb Gem as a shipper and without a peer in fine quality and productiveness.

**MELON, WATER.**

	Ounce.	Quarter.
Cuban Queen, - - -	\$0.10	.20
Dixie, New, - - -	.10	.25
Hungarian Honey, - -	.10	.25
Kolb's Gem, very sweet, -	.10	.20
Mountain Sprout, - - -	.10	.20
Mountain Sweet, favorite, -	.10	.20
Phinney's Early, - - -	.10	.25
The Boss, - - -	.10	.25
Citron, for preserving, -	.10	.20

**OKRA.**

	Packet.	Ounce.
White Velvet, - - -	\$0.05	.10

**NASTURTIUM.**

	Packet.	Ounce.
Tall Pickling, (for flowering varieties, see Flower Seeds), -	\$0.05	.15

**ONION.**

Our seed is Connecticut Valley grown, from *carefully selected* onions. We give special attention to onion seed. The crop depends for success upon the quality of the seed. It is absolutely essential that the seed should be grown from sound, fully developed, and typical onions. We quote special prices by mail for large lots.



	Ounce.	Pound.
Extra Early Red Flat, - -	\$0.20	\$1.50
Prizetaker, new mammoth, -	.25	2.50
Round Yellow Danvers, early, -	.20	1.25
Southport Red Globe, late, -	.20	1.75
Southport White Globe, late, -	.20	2.50
Southport Yellow Globe, late, -	.20	1.50
Yellow Globe Danvers, extra, -	.20	1.50
Wethersfield, Large Red, late, -	.20	1.25
Wethersfield, Medium Red, -	.20	1.50

**POTATO ONION SETS.**

The Potato Onion should be in every garden. It is very early, being fully grown by June; mild flavored and sweet; pearl white when first gathered; of large size, and keeps the longest, without sprouting, of any Onion; highly esteemed. Our stock is very choice. We have bought the entire crop of the same grower for the last six years.

	Quart.	Peck.	Bushel.
Potato Onion Sets, - - - - -	\$0.25	\$1.50	\$6.00

**Try Our Flower Seeds.**

## PEAS.

*If wanted by mail, add 15c. per quart, for postage.*

	Smooth Sorts.	Feet High.	Quart.	Peck.	Bushel.
S T R A T A G E M	Alaska, earliest green pea,	2 1/2	\$0.20	\$1.00	\$4.00
	Early Daniel O'Rourke,	3	.20	1.00	3.50
	Early Philadelphia, -	3	.20	1.00	3.50
	Laxton's Earliest of All,	2 1/2	.20	1.25	4.00
	First and Best, - -	3	.20	1.25	4.00
	Kentish Invicta, - -	3	.20	1.25	4.25
	Marrowfat, Black-eyed,	6	.15	.75	2.50
	Marrowfat, White, -	6	.20	.75	3.00
	Maude S., - - -	3	.20	1.25	4.50
	Peep O' Day, Earliest Pea,	2 1/2	.25	1.25	4.50
	Wrinkled Sorts.				
	Abundance, Bliss', -	2 1/2	.20	1.00	4.00
	American Wonder, true,	1	.30	2.00	6.50
	Champion of England,	5	.20	.75	3.00
	Dwarf Champion, fine,	3	.30	1.75	6.00
	Extra Early Premium Gem,	1 1/3	.25	1.50	5.25
	Everbearing, Bliss', -	3	.25	1.25	4.25
	Horsford's Market Garden,	2	.25	1.50	4.50
	McLean's Advancer, -	2 1/2	.20	1.25	4.50
	McLean's Little Gem,	1 1/2	.25	1.50	5.00
	Shropshire Hero, -	3	.30	1.50	6.00
	Stratagem, large late, -	2 1/2	.30	1.75	6.00
	Tall Sugar, edible pods,	5	.45	2.50	7.50
	Telephone, - - -	5	.25	1.50	5.00
	Yorkshire Hero, - -	2 1/2	.20	1.00	4.00

## FIELD PEAS.

White Canada, -	3	.10	.50	1.50
Blue Canada, -	3	.10	.75	2.00

For the first bushel of Peep O'Day Peas we will pay \$3.00; for the second bushel we will pay \$2.00, delivered at our store.

F. P. B. & CO.

## PARSNIP.

	Packet.	Oz.	Quarter.
Guernsey, or Hollow			
Crown, -	\$0.05	.10	.20
Large Dutch, or Sugar,	.05	.10	.20

## PARSLEY.

	Packet.	Oz.	Quarter.
Double Curled, -	\$0.05	.10	.25
Moss Curled, -	.05	.10	.30



Moss Curled Parsley.



Parsnip.  
Hollow Crown.

**Reliable Quality, Only.**

## PEPPER.

	Packet.	Oz.
Sweet Mountain, -	\$0.05	.25
Long Red Cayenne, -	.05	.25
Ruby King, -	.05	.25
Large Bull Nose, or Bell,	.05	.25

## PUMPKIN.

	Oz.	Pound.
Connecticut Golden Field	\$0.10	.40
Small Golden Sugar, -	.10	.60
Crookneck or Jonathan,	.10	.50



602 Bushels "New Queen" Potatoes per acre, raised in North Reading, Mass. From a photograph.

## POTATOES.

Our Seed Potatoes are grown in Aroostook County, Maine, from the healthiest and purest seed stock obtainable. Within the last few years hundreds of new varieties have been put on the market, hardly one of which has proved worthy of a second trial. We do not ask fancy prices for Seed Potatoes, but only make prices that will enable us to offer the finest stock produced in the United States. Many are fully aware of the advantage of changing their old potatoes for new and vigorous Northern stock. The following are the standard sorts grown in Aroostook: Early Rose, Dakota Red, New Queen, Beauty of Hebron, Early Maine, Clark's No. 1, White Star, Burbank's Seedling, etc. We also have some of the newer varieties for customers who wish to try them. Call and see the stock and *get our prices before you buy. Special prices to dealers and large farmers.* State variety, and number of bushels wanted, and *order early.*

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE CONNECTICUT EXPERIMENT STATION.—Extract [from Page 39. Potatoes: " \* \* \* The potatoes were grown in two fields, the one containing two acres and a half, the other, distant about a quarter of a mile, and containing an acre and a half. The seed used in both fields was the same, part being Northern grown and part native "seed," consisting of three varieties. *The Northern seed proved by far the best, producing nearly double the yield of the native seed.* The conditions of growth were further equalized by the use of the same fertilizers on the two fields."

*In comparing our prices on Potatoes, remember we make no charge for bags or cartage, but deliver F. O. B. Cars or Boat at prices quoted.*

NOTICE.—*We will pay \$2.50 a bushel for the two bushels of largest potatoes grown from our Maine seed this year.*

## RADISH.

Packet, 5 cents.

	Ounce.	Quarter.
Black!Spanish Winter, - - -	\$0.10	.20
Chartier, long, pink and white, - -	.10	.20
Early Scarlet Turnip, extra forcing, -	.10	.25
Early Scarlet Turnip, white tipped, fine, -	.10	.20
French Breakfast, mild and crisp, - -	.10	.20
Long Red, old sort, - - -	.10	.20
Olive Shaped Scarlet, - - -	.10	.20
Rose China, Winter, - - -	.10	.20
White Strasburg, fine new, - - -	.10	.20



Extra Early Scarlet Turnip.  
The earliest forcing Radish.



Long Red Radish.

If you like our Seeds—and we naturally assume that you do, or you would not buy them—shall we not hope that you will say a good word for them among your friends this season? If you will kindly send us the names of several of your acquaintances who use seeds and bulbs, when you send your order, we will send them our Catalogue, and will also put in some extras with your order, to pay for your kindness.

CROMWELL, CONN., September, 1893.

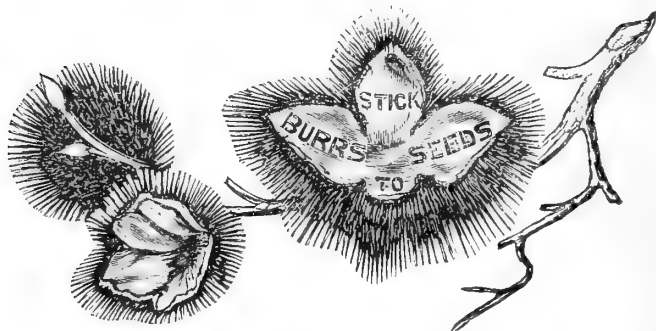
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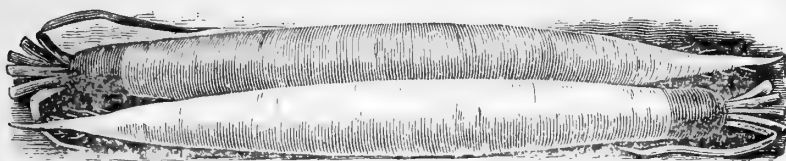
*Mattabessett Seed Store.*

DEAR SIRS—I used your Maine Seed Potatoes last season, and they fully came up to the standard, both as to yield, quality and size. Your Maine grown seed is first-class and has no equal for this section. I have also used large quantities of your vegetable seeds, and many varieties, for a great many years, and have always found them reliable and first-class. I have grown the Peep O' Day Peas the last five years, testing them yearly beside the best extra earlies I could get. The earliest of them all was two days later than Peep O' Day.

Yours respectfully,

A. D. EDWARDS.




**SALSIFY.**

Mammoth Sandwich Island.

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	Oz.	Quarter
Mammoth Sandwich Island,	\$0.15	.40
White French,	.15	.30

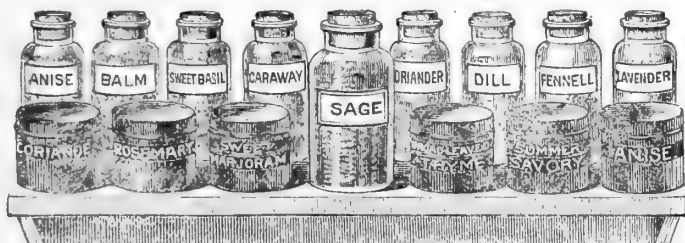
**PUMPKIN.**

	Oz.	Pound.
Connecticut Golden Field,	\$0.10	.40
Small Golden Sugar,	.10	.60

**SPINACH.**

Packet, 5 cents.

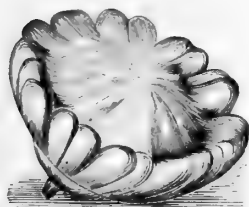
	Quarter.	Pound.
Long Standing, evergreen,	\$0.10	.30
Round Leaf, or Summer,	.10	.30
Viroflay, thick leaf, -	.10	.30
Bloomsdale, savoy leaf, -	.10	.35
Prickly Seeded, or Winter,	.10	.30

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**SWEET HERBS.**

Packet, 5 cents.

	Ounce.		Ounce.		Ounce.
Anise, - -	\$0.15	Fennel, - -	\$0.20	Summer Savory, -	\$0.25
Caraway, - -	.10	Horehound, - -	.30	Thyme, - -	.30
Coriander, - -	.10	Lavender, - -	.20	Wormwood, - -	.30
Dill, - -	.10	Sage, broad-leaf,	.25		

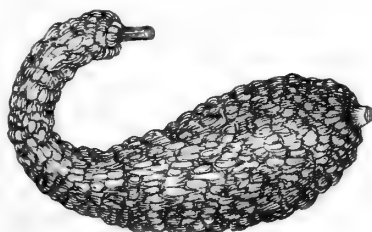


Bush Scallop.

**SQUASH.**

Summer.

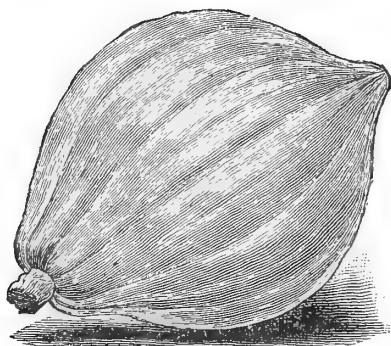
Packet, 5 cents.



Early Summer Crookneck.

Early Bush Scallop, yellow, - - - - -	\$0.10	.20
Early Bush Scallop, white, - - - - -	.10	.20
Golden Summer Crookneck, - - - - -	.10	.20
New Giant Summer Crookneck, or Strickler, - - - - -	.15	.20

Always Glad to Correct Errors.



Prolific Marrow.

**SQUASH—Winter.**

Packet, 5 cents.

	Ounce.	Pound.
Bay State, dark green, -	\$0.10	\$0.80
Butman, dry and sweet, -	.10	.80
Cocoanut, small but solid, .10		.75
Essex Hybrid, heavy cropper, .10		.75
Fordhook, new, -	.15	1.00
Hubbard, true, -	.10	.75
Mammoth Chili, largest squash .10		1.25
New Prolific Marrow, -	.10	.75
Perfect Gem, -	.10	.80
Pike's Peak, or Sibley, -	.10	.75
Winter Crookneck, -	.10	.50
Vegetable Marrow, -	.10	1.00

**SUNFLOWER.**

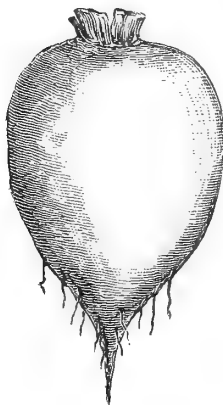
Packet, 5 cents.

Mammoth Russian, - - - - -

Ounce.	Quarter.	Pound.
\$0.10	.15	.20

**TURNIP.**

Home grown, from selected roots. Cheap, imported seed is of weak and irregular growth, and produces spurious roots. Avoid cheap Turnip Seed.

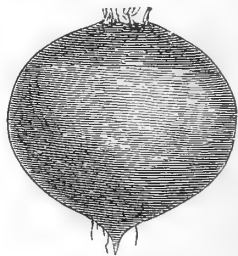


White Egg.

	Quarter.	Pound.
Cow Horn, long white, - - -	\$0.15	.50
Early White Dutch, strap leaf, - -	.20	.60
Golden Ball, or Orange Jelly, - -	.20	.50
Purple Top, strap leaf, - - -	.15	.40
Sweet Yellow Globe, - - -	.20	.50
White Egg, true stock, - - -	.15	.60
Yellow Aberdeen, - - -	.20	.60
Yellow Stone, - - -	.20	.60

**TURNIP—RUTA BAGA OR SWEDE.**

	Quarter.	Pound.
Burr's Improved Purple Top, finest, -	\$0.20	.60
Sweet German, - - - - -	.15	.60
White French, - - - - -	.20	.60
White Rock, - - - - -	.20	.60



Burr's Improved.

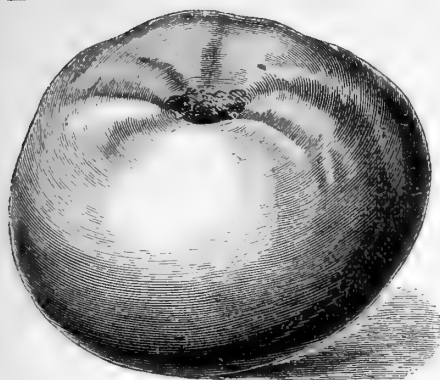
**TOBACCO.**

	½ Ounce.	Ounce.
Connecticut Seed Leaf, - - - - -	\$0.15	.25
Fine Havana, Acclimated, - - - - -	.25	.50

**To Buyers of Seeds** we offer every possible advantage. A full variety, a fresh stock, and the lowest market prices. *All orders filled promptly.*

PORTLAND "RECORD," March, 1893.

Fred. P. Burr & Co.'s Mattabessett Seed Catalogue is now being received by their many customers in this place. This old and thoroughly reliable firm has had too many years of favorable dealing in this section to need any words of commendation from us.



New Dwarf Champion Tomato.

**TOMATO.**

Packet, 5 Cents.

	Ounce.
Acme, purplish red, smooth,	\$0.20
Beauty, dark red, early,	.20
Dwarf Champion, early, fine,	.20
Essex Hybrid, deep purple, early,	.20
Golden Queen, large, clean yellow,	.20
Ignotum, round, solid, productive,	.25
New Peach, small, fine flavored,	.25
New Stone, bright scarlet, solid,	.20
Perfection, bright red, solid,	.20
Trophy, old favorite, true,	.20

**Market Gardeners.**—Send lists of the Seeds you require to us to be priced. We deal most liberally with all such trade, and it will pay you to correspond with us before buying.

FRED. P. BURR &amp; CO.

**GARDEN FERTILIZER.**

High Grade Ammoniated Bone Super-Phosphate.

Fifty Pound Bag, - - - \$1.10 | One Hundred Pound Bag, - \$2.00

This Fertilizer is especially valuable for garden use. It gives vegetables an early start, and carries the growth right through the season. Its use saves much hoeing, as it does not fill the soil with grass, thistle, dock and plantain seeds.

**FOR THE CHILDREN.**

Give the little men and women a corner of the garden and flower bed, for their own. Nothing will do more to cultivate habits of observation, and at the same time give pleasure and reward, with lessons in care and patience. A knowledge of "how plants grow" is part of a liberal education. Even the failures that may happen on the first little plot, will teach a valuable lesson. We select the following easily-grown vegetables and flowers for our young friends. The seeds are the very choicest; the packets are full "men's size," and plain directions for growing printed on each. Parents give this your attention. These seed collections are *for the children*, and *at children's prices*:

**Mattabessett Children's Half-Dollar Seed Collections.****Vegetables.**

Fifty Cents, Post-paid, for the following Sixteen Varieties:

<i>Beet,</i>	<i>Onion,</i>
<i>Cabbage,</i>	<i>Radish,</i>
<i>Celery,</i>	<i>Rice Pop Corn,</i>
<i>Carrot,</i>	<i>Spinach,</i>
<i>Cucumber,</i>	<i>Squash, Summer,</i>
<i>Lettuce,</i>	<i>Squash, Winter.</i>
<i>Melon, Musk,</i>	<i>Tomato,</i>
<i>Melon, Water,</i>	<i>Turnip.</i>

**Flowers.**

Fifty Cents, Post-paid, for the following Sixteen Varieties:

<i>Ageratum,</i>	<i>Marigold,</i>
<i>Alyssum,</i>	<i>Mignonette,</i>
<i>Bachelor's Button,</i>	<i>Nasturtium,</i>
<i>Balsam,</i>	<i>Pansy,</i>
<i>Candytuft,</i>	<i>Poppy,</i>
<i>Clarkia,</i>	<i>Sweet Peas,</i>
<i>Chrysanthemum,</i>	<i>Verbena,</i>
<i>Gaillardia,</i>	<i>Zinnia.</i>

Half of either Children's Collection for Twenty-Five Cents.

**Our Bulbs are Choice. Prices Low.**

## FIELD SEED.

Besides our large assortment of Garden and Flower Seeds, we have a full and choice stock of Field Seeds of the staple varieties. We would be pleased to have you compare our prices before placing your orders this season. Prices on these seeds fluctuate so that it is impracticable to quote figures that will hold good through the season. Send postal card, and we will quote the lowest prices at any time.

Seed Barley, Buckwheat, Corn, Oats, Field Peas, Vetches or Tares, Rye and Wheat, market price. We carry full stocks and do not charge fancy prices for field seeds.

### GRASS SEED.

Alsike, Alfalfa, Crimson Clover, Red Clover, White Clover, Hungarian, Kentucky Blue, Millet, Orchard, Red Top, Fancy Cleaned Red Top, Timothy and Lawn Grass; market price. We carry full stocks of the above; also can supply any of the fancy varieties, direct from the importers, at three days' notice. Send for samples of the sorts of grass seeds, stating number of bushels you want, and we will mail promptly, with lowest cash prices. We guarantee grass seeds to be identical with samples sent. It don't pay to buy your grass seeds hap-hazard without examining. We do not do it; neither should you.

### CRIMSON OR SCARLET CLOVER.

Owing to articles in the agricultural papers a large inquiry was made last year for this clover. It was first introduced from Italy into our Southern States, and has gradually found its way north. It is recommended as a valuable green manure crop, and for an April green-food crop for cattle, or it can be made into hay during May. Sow broadcast during July or August at the rate of twenty pounds per acre; it may be sown among corn at the last hoeing, and it will make a good "catch" on stubble land by merely harrowing the soil.

**Spring Vetches, or Tares.**—A species of pea, grown extensively in England, and in Canada for stock. Culture same as field peas, two bushels per acre. Price, per quart, 15 cents; per bushel, \$2.50.

### NORTHERN SEED CORN.

	Bushel.
Pride of the North, early dent,	\$1.75
Early Canada, yellow flint, -	2.00
Longfellow, long yellow flint, -	2.00
New England, flint, -	2.00
Early Leaming, yellow dent, -	1.75
Sanford White, flint, -	2.00

### ENSILAGE, or FODDER CORN

	Bushel.
Red Cob Ensilage, -	\$1.25
Horse Tooth, Southern, -	1.00
Large Sweet Corn, -	2.00
Field Peas, White Canada, -	1.50
Field Peas, Green Canada, -	2.00
Seed Barley, -	1.00
Buckwheat, Japanese, -	1.25
Buckwheat, Silver Hull, -	1.25

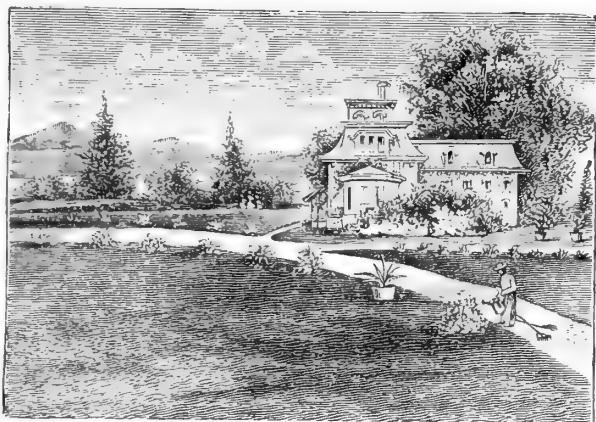
### BARLEY AND PEAS.

This fodder crop has been sown for the past two years on the same area from which oats and peas were fed during July. The time of sowing, the first of August; two bushels of Canada peas, and two of barley per acre. This crop will furnish feed through the entire month of October. *It is not injured by frost, and is ready at a time when pasture feed is poor, and most forage crops not available, owing to frosts.* The peas should be covered by shallow plowing, or deep harrowing, while the barley should be lightly covered.—*Storr's Agricultural School Report, 1892.*



## MATTABESSETT LAWN SEED.

To make a nice lawn, the ground must first be made as fine as possible, some good fertilizer or sheep manure applied, then thoroughly rolled, and a selection of fine grass seed sown, of several varieties that will remain green from early Spring till Winter. Frequent cutting with a lawn mower, with an occasional rolling down and an application



of fertilizer, will insure a beautiful lawn, if our Mattabessett Lawn Seed is used as directed. Always rake off after mowing. Our Mattabessett Seed is *from native grasses only*, that a careful experience of fifteen years has shown to be the best adapted to this locality. It contains no coarse grasses. A *Lawn* cannot be made from hay seed. One quart will sow about 300 square feet. For renovating old lawns use half the quantity.

	Quart.	Bushel.
Mattabessett Lawn Seed, per quart (by mail), 25 cents,	\$0.20	\$5.00
Lawn Seed for shady situations, per quart (by mail), 35 cents,	.30	6.50
White Dutch Clover for lawns, per quarter, 15 cents; pound, 45 cents		

**Permanent Lawn Grass**, used by the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

A cheaper but very suitable sort for large grounds, per peck, \$1.00; bushel, \$3.75.

**LAWN FERTILIZER.**—High Grade Ammoniated Bone, 25 lb. bag, 75c.; 50 lb. bag, \$1.10; 100 lb. bag, \$2.00. The cost of this Fertilizer is less than the expense of carting and applying stable manure, and it will not fill a lawn with weed seeds. It will kill the grubs and worms, eradicate moss, and quickly renovate old, worn-out lawns.



Favorite Lawn Rake, 75c.

**The Favorite Lawn Rake.**—Has a 24-inch steel head, with 24 steel teeth. Both head and teeth are heavily tinned, to prevent rusting, securely fastened, and cannot become loose; beyond question the best lawn rake in use. Each, 75 cents.

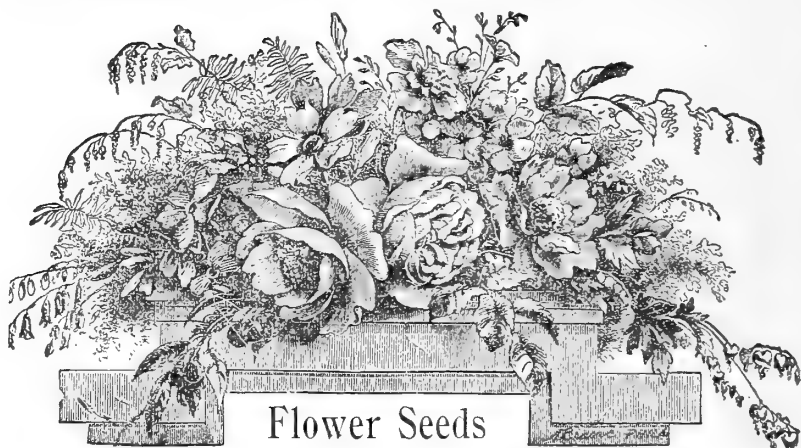


Best Grass Hook, 35c.

**Steel Grass Hook, or Sickle.**—An extra quality Sickle, having tested steel blade and hardwood handle. The only Sickle we ever saw that would hold its edge, - - - each, 35 cents. A cheaper quality of Sickle, - - - " 25 "

**Grass Shears.**—Especially adapted to trimming the borders of lawns, and cutting grass around trees where the lawn mower cannot reach. Very handy about the flower garden or small fruit orchard. Has solid cast steel cutting blades five inches long, all ready for use. Each, 45 cents.

**Our Flower Seeds are Superior.**



## SUMMER FLOWERING BULBS.

The Mattabessett Flower Seeds are all new crop, imported directly from the European growers. They are not cheap, common seeds, but many—grown under glass, from specimen plants, and carefully fructified by hand—cost much more than their weight in gold. That they are the finest flower seeds produced in the world is a modest statement of their great value. Each packet is put up by ourselves, from our bulk stock, in handsome packets, with full cultural directions for the variety therein, which purchasers should follow carefully. Special prices to florists and others who buy seeds by weight. Correspondence promptly attended to.

### LIBERAL PREMIUMS.

*Of all seeds in packets*, the purchaser may select *twenty-five cents' worth extra, for each one dollar sent us*. Thus, anyone sending us \$1.00, can select seeds in packets amounting to \$1.25; for \$2.00, to the value of \$2.50, and so on. This discount applies *only to seeds in packets*. Postage stamps accepted the same as cash.

**General Cultural Directions.**—**SOWING THE SEED.**—Most failures in flower culture come from improper treatment of the seeds and young plants. We urge every purchaser of our seed to carefully study the cultural directions printed on each package. In sowing fine flower seeds, the common mistake is to cover them too deeply. The great point is to sow them in freshly worked soil, not wet enough to be sticky, but fine, moist and mellow. After sowing the seed, pat the soil down firm; nothing more will be required. All choice seeds and bulbs, to do their best, must have proper cultivation.

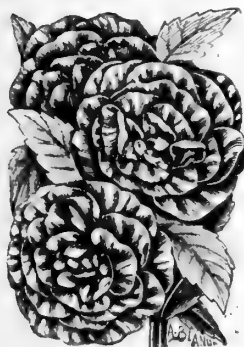
**FERTILIZER FOR FLOWERING PLANTS.**—Fine Bone Flour—a valuable fertilizer for both potted and bedded plants. Can be easily applied at any time and will quickly show its excellence. Price, per sack of 25 lbs., \$1.00; per 100 lbs., \$3.00.

**Transplant Delicate Plants at Night.**

**ANTIRRHINUM.****Snap Dragon.**

The large flowering Antirrhinum is very showy; from July till frost comes being covered with the richly colored blossoms. Our Kaleidoscope Mixture includes the new striped sorts, and is from the celebrated

European collection so admired at the World's Fair. Per packet, 10 cents.

**BALSAM.****Double.**

We offer the finest strain of perfectly double Camelia Flowered Balsam. Its flowers are well formed, of immense size, and bright colors.

All colors, including striped and spotted.

Per packet, 10c.

**DAHLIA.****Single.**

If the value of these single Dahlias for summer blooming, and the ease with which they are grown from seed was better known, they would be in every flower garden this season. Seeds

sown in the open ground in Spring will produce flowering plants in July.

Mixed, including fancy striped and blotched, per packet, 10 cents.

**ASTER.**

Our Kaleidoscope Asters are a choice mixture of Truffaut's Imperial Pæonia Flowered, of extra many colors, with an equal portion of Victoria. These represent the highest perfection in Asters. Packet, 10 cents.

**CARNATION. Marguerite.**

A beautiful, very double free blooming Carnation of the simplest culture, with a great variety of colors. It blossoms freely three months after the seed is sown. They can be taken up in the Fall and potted, and make fine Winter blooming house plants.

Packet, - - - 10 cents.

**CANTERBURY BELL.**

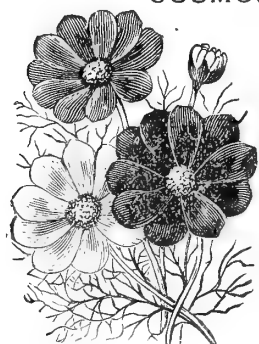
This beautiful flower is one of the old garden favorites, that is now more popular than ever before. It is admired by all, and should be in every garden. Per packet, 10 cents.

**DAHLIA.****Double.**

Double Dahlias blossom freely from seeds the first season and produce the largest and most perfect double flowers, and the greatest variety of color. Large, double,

mixed, per packet, 10 cents. P. 10

Extra choice Lilliput, mixed, per packet, 10 cents.

**COSMOS.**

The Cosmos is a beautiful flower, fast coming into favor.

It blooms in the Autumn; its flowers—white, pink and deep rose—are very graceful. They are fine for cutting, as they improve in size and color after cutting, and remain fresh a long time.

Mixed colors per packet, 10 cents.

**PANSY—Imperial.**

This seed is furnished us direct, by Oscar Knopff & Co., Erfurt, and is from the flowers of their celebrated collection of named sorts. This Pansy seed is equal to any in the market, no matter what the price. We have reduced the price, as we wish to have every one try it. Per packet, 15c.

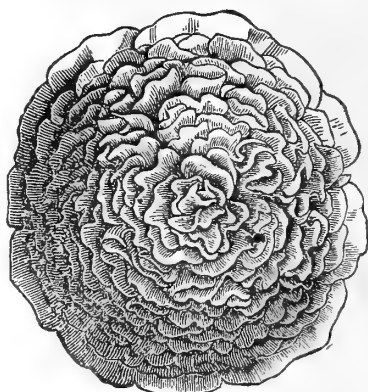
**DIANTHUS—PINK.**

Our Kaleidoscope mixture is an extra selection of double flowering Pinks, of the finest form and most varied colorings.

Per packet, 10c.

**HOLLYHOCK.**

Double.



Every one who has this old favorite desires a full assortment of colors. Our mixed seed contains twelve colors. Per packet, - - - 10 cents.

**RICINUS.**

Castor Oil Plant.



A handsome foliage plant, of rapid growth, with palm-like leaves, of rich and tropical appearance. It is suitable for centers of beds, for large beds on the lawn, or along driveways.

Per packet, - - - 10 cents.

**Note our Low Prices on Tuberose Bulbs.**

# MIMULUS.



For vase and pot plants as well as for bedding the Mimulus is a gem. Its colors are very rich and the flowers are spotted and splashed with contrasting colors, in a most

fanciful manner.

Maximus, largest flowering, per packet, 25 cents.

Many sorts, mixed, per packet, 10c.

# POPPY.

Double Carnation Flowered.



Our Kaleidoscope mixture of double-fringed Poppies comprises every known color, from pure white to deepest purple and black. We do not know of any seeds for the money that will make as beautiful a showing.

Per packet, - - - 5 cents

# PORTULACCA—Double.

This variety is very floriferous, and the colors as varied as the single variety, while the blossoms are full double and look like small roses. About 65 per cent. of the seed will produce double flowers. Per packet, 10 cents.



# NASTURTIIUM.

Empress of India.



The Empress of India is the most symmetrical in its growth of all the dwarf Nasturtiums. It is very floriferous, and its brilliant, velvety, crimson blossoms are very effective in contrast with the dark foliage.

Per packet, - - - 5 cents.  
Per ounce, - - - 20 cents.

# PETUNIA.

Superbissima.

Kaleidoscope mixed Petunias are of extra many colors, from the largest named sorts; fringed, veined, ringed, mottled, and with great tigered throats. Per packet, 100 seeds, - 20 cents.

# PHLOX.

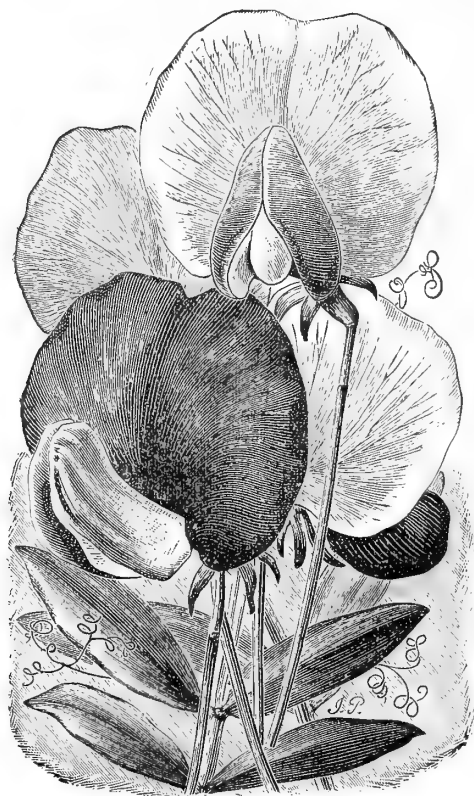
Grandiflora.

The beautiful Phlox is one of the favorite annuals. Our Kaleidoscope mixture of large flowering sorts has all the different colors and markings, from white to deepest black-brown; also dark colors with white eyes, and the light shades with dark eyes.

Per packet, - 10 cents.

## SWEET PEAS.

We can say nothing that will add to the popularity of this exquisite flower; everyone knows it; everyone grows it. Fred. P. Burr & Co. have given much thought to the selection of varieties listed below, and comparing their experience of sixteen years with the leading growers in the United States, they feel safe to say that no varieties can be substituted that will add to the desirability of the selection. Our stock is all new crop, grown for us in California by the same grower who has supplied us for the two previous years. California grown Sweet Peas are the largest and finest colored in the world, and in germinating qualities are forty per cent. better than the imported seed. Where one selects a dozen varieties of Sweet Peas, he has all that are distinct enough for general use. Many sorts differ only in name, while others are so near alike that the best one of the type will answer for all.



	Packet.	Ounce.
Alba Magnifica, white, charming,	-\$0 10	\$.20
Apple Blossom, pink and blush, very large,	-.05	.15
Blanche Ferry, pink and white, large, earliest,	-.05	.10
Boreatton, deep, rich maroon, large, finest dark variety,	-.05	.15
Butterfly, gray with distinct blue edge,	-.05	.10
Cardinal, crimson scarlet, large flowers, grand,	-.10	.15
Countess of Radnor, lavender, distinct and magnificent,	-.10	.20
Duchess of Edinburgh, scarlet, flushed crimson, white edge,	-.05	.15
Invincible Scarlet, profuse bloomer, large and brilliant,	-.05	.10
Red Striped, crimson and wine, striped white,	-.05	.15
Isa Eckford, creamy white, blushed rosy pink,	-.10	.15
Lottie Eckford, creamy white with distinct blue edge,	-.10	.15
Mrs. Gladstone, delicate pink and rose, large,	-.10	.15
Mrs. Sankey, white, large, bold flower,	-.10	.15
Primrose, pale yellow, new and most beautiful, very scarce,	-.10	.20
Princess of Wales, white, striped lavender and mauve,	-.10	.10
Purple Prince, maroon, purple and blue,	-.10	.15
Queen of England, snow white, largest and finest, free bloomer,	.10	.20
Queen of the Isles, white, striped scarlet and carmine, beautiful,	.10	.10
Red and White Striped, large, bold flower,	.10	.15
Splendor, coppery crimson and rose, very large, often double,	.10	.15

## GENERAL LIST OF FLOWER SEEDS.

The varieties we offer for 10 cents or over per packet, are the choicest strains, and no one can sell better for the same price. We also take great pains to have our packets contain seeds that will produce the greatest variety of colors possible. *Our Mixtures are specially commendable*, and contain extra many colors. All who grow flowers appreciate it when they get a choice strain, and for this reason Burr's Flower Seeds have become very popular. We ask a trial order this season. Our flower seeds will satisfy the most exacting, and prove a delight to all who love beautiful flowers.

	Packet.		Packet.
Adonis, Autumnalis, Pheasant's Eye, - - -	So.05	Chrysanthemum, double white,	\$0.10
Ageratum, Tom Thumb, blue,	.05	Cineraria Maritima, Dusty	
Ageratum, Tom Thumb, white,	.05	Miller, - - -	.05
Agrostemma, Rose Champion, -	.05	Convolvulus, (See Morning	
Alonsoa, mixed, - - -	.05	Glory),	
Alyssum, Tom Thumb, dwarf,	.05	Clarkia, single, mixed, - -	.05
Alyssum, Sweet, - - -	.05	Clarkia, double, mixed, - -	.05
Amaranthus, red foliaged, -	.05	Cosmos, pure white, - - -	.10
Antirrhinum, finest mixed, -	.10	Cosmos, Pink, - - -	.10
Antirrhinum, striped, fine, -	.10	Cosmos, mixed, - - -	.10
Artemesia, decorative foliage,	.10	Cypress Vine, mixed, - - -	.05
Aster, Kaleidoscope, mixed, -	.10	Dahlia, single, solid colors, -	.10
Aster, Victoria, mixed, - -	.10	Dahlia, single striped, mixed,	.10
Aster, Truffaut's, - - -	.10	Dahlia, extra large double,	.10
Aster, improved quilled, -	.05	Dahlia, Lilliput, extra mixed,	.15
Aster, extra large, dwarf, -	.10	Dianthus, Pinks, double China,	.05
Aster, Comet, mixed, - - -	.15	Dianthus, extra double, fringed,	.05
Balsam, double striped, mixed,	.10	Dianthus, extra large, single, -	.05
Balsam, double spotted, mixed,	.10	Digitalis, Foxglove, spotted,	.10
Balsam, double, finest, mixed,	.10	Digitalis, mixed, - - -	.05
Bellis, Double Daisy, mixed,	.10	Everlasting Flower, double,	.05
Brachycome (Swan River Daisy),	.05	Escholtzia, California Poppies,	.05
Calendula, double orange, -	.05	Escholtzia, Mandarin, - -	.05
Calendula, Pongei, double white,	.05	Escholtzia, double, mixed, -	.05
Calliopsis, many sorts, mixed,	.05	Euphorbia, Snow on the Mount,	.05
Canary Bird Vine, - - -	.05	Gaillardia, Grandiflora, mixed,	.05
Canterbury Bells, mixed, single,	.05	Gaillardia, double, many colors,	.05
Canterbury Bells, Cup and		Gilia, mixed colors, - - -	.05
Saucer, - - -	.05	Godetia, many colors, mixed,	.05
Candytuft, white, dwarf, -	.05	Globe Amaranth, mixed, -	.05
Candytuft, mixed sorts, - -	.05	Gourds, fancy varieties, mixed,	.05
Canna, fine mixed, - - -	.05	Helianthus, (See Sun Flower),	.05
Carnation, Marguerite, mixed,	.10	Hollyhock, finest double, -	.10
Castor Oil (See Ricinus), -	.05	Kaulfussia, fine mixed, - -	.05
Celosia, Cockscomb, mixed, -	.05	Larkspur, double Emperor, -	.05
Centaurea, Bachelor's Button,		Linum, scarlet flax, - - -	.05
double, - - -	.10	Lobelia, Erinus, blue, - -	.05
Centaurea, Gymnocarpa, -	.10	Lychnus, large flowered, mixed,	.05
Chrysanthemum, Painted		Marigold, African, large, -	.05
Daisy, mixed, - - -	.05	Marigold, French, dwarf, -	.05
		Marvel of Peru, dwarf, mixed,	.05

	Packet.		Packet.
Mignonette, large flowered,	\$0.05	Poppy, single, mixed, -	\$0.05
Mignonette, large red flowered,	.10	Portulacca, large double,	.10
Mignonette, Aurea, golden, -	.05	Portulacca, single, mixed, -	.05
Mimulus, Maximus, largest, -	.25	Pyrethrum, Golden Feather, -	.05
Mimulus, fine mixed, -	.05	Primula, large fringed, mixed,	.35
Morning Glory, tall, mixed, -	.05	Ricinus, Castor Oil Plant,	.05
Morning Glory, dwarf, mixed,	.05	Salvia, Coccinea, -	.05
Nicotiana, Affinis, white, sweet,	.10	Salpiglossis, Grandiflora, mixed,	.05
Nicotiana, Giant, red flowered,	.10	Scabious, Mourning Bride, -	.05
Nigella, Devil in a Bush, -	.05	Schizanthus, fringed, fine, -	.05
Nasturtium, dwarf, mixed, -	.05	Snapdragon (See Antirrhinum),	
Nasturtium, Beauty, -	.05	Stocks, extra double, ten weeks,	
Nasturtium, tall, mixed, -	.05	dwarf, - - -	.10
Nasturtium, Ruby King, -	.05	Stocks, large flowering, ten	
Nasturtium, Empress of India,	.05	weeks, dwarf, - - -	.10
Nasturtium, Rose, fine pink, -	.05	Stocks, Dwarf Pyramidal,	.10
Oenothera, Evening Primrose,	.05	Sunflower, Giant Russian, -	.05
Pansy, Imperial, finest mixed,	.15	Sunflower, double, perfectly	
Pansy, good, mixed, -	.10	round flowers, - - -	.05
Pansy, gold margined, extra,	.10	Sunflower, double dwarf, -	.05
Pansy, King of the Blacks, -	.10	Sunflower, Minature, - -	.05
Pansy, Lord Beaconsfield, -	.10	Sunflower, Globosus Fistulosus,	.05
Pansy, Candissima, pure white,	.10	Sweet Peas, see page 26.	
Pansy, fancy striped varieties,	.10	Sweet William, single, mixed,	.05
Pansy, Giant Trimardeau, -	.10	Sweet William, Hunt's Per-	
Petunia, striped and blotched,	.10	fection, double, - - -	.10
Petunia, finest veined, fringed,	.20	Venidium, Calendulaceum, -	.05
Phlox, Drummondii, finest		Verbena, mammoth, from show	
mixed, - - -	.05	flowers, - - -	.10
Phlox, Grandiflora, largest		Zinnia, mixed, double striped,	.10
flowered, mixed, - - -	.10	Zinnia, tall, double, mixed, -	.05
Poppy, Carnation flowered, all		Zinnia, dwarf, extra double, -	.05
colors, mixed, - - -	.05	Zinnia, double white, - -	.05
Poppy, Shirley, mixed, single,	.10	Zinnia, scarlet, - - -	.05
Poppy, Eider Down, white, -	.10	Zinnia, purple, - - -	.05
Poppy, rose, - - -	.05	Zinnia, lilac, - - -	.05
Poppy, red and white, striped,	.05	Zinnia, rose, - - -	.05
Poppy, lilac, - - -	.05	Zinnia, sulphur, - - -	.05
Poppy, purple and black,	.05	Zinnia, golden yellow, - -	.05
Poppy, scarlet, - - -	.05	Zinnia, crimson, - - -	.10

### MIXED SWEET PEAS.

Best Mixed Sweet Peas, equal parts of all our named sorts, per packet, 10 cents; ounce, 20 cents; quarter, 60 cents; pound, \$2.00.

Mixed Sweet Peas, packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; quarter, 25 cents; pound, 75 cents.

**Plant Food.**—This Plant Fertilizer or Food is made especially for plants grown in the conservatory, house, or garden; clean, free from offensive odor, and very excellent. Large package, 25c.; by mail, 35c.



## FLOWER SEEDS.

Imported Assortments, put up in Separate Colors.

Antirrhinum, Snapdragon, in 8 separate colors, all for	- - -	\$0.40
Antirrhinum, Tom Thumb, or dwarf, in 8 separate colors, all for	- - -	.40
Aster, Truffaut's Pæony-flowered Perfection, in 12 separate colors, all for	- - -	.75
Aster, Truffaut's Pæony-flowered Perfection, in 6 separate colors, all for	- - -	.40
Aster, Comet, in 6 separate colors, all for	- - -	.40
Balsam, Camelia-flowered, double dwarf, in 6 separate colors,	- - -	.50
Balsam, Camelia-flowered, double, in 6 separate colors,	- - -	.50
Campanula, in 6 separate colors,	- - -	.25
Celosia, Cristata nana, Cockscomb, dwarf, in 6 separate colors,	- - -	.30
Dahlia, single varieties, in 6 separate colors,	- - -	.40
Digitalis, Foxglove, in 6 separate colors,	- - -	.30
Larkspur, Double Emperor, in 8 separate colors,	- - -	.40
Marigold, French double, in 8 separate colors,	- - -	.35
Pansy, large flowered, assortment of 6 varieties,	- - -	.60
Petunia, Grandiflora, double fringed, in 6 colors,	- - -	1.50
Petunia, Grandiflora, double, in 6 colors,	- - -	1.50
Petunia, single, largest veined and fringed, in 6 colors,	- - -	1.25
Phlox, Grandiflora, in 8 colors,	- - -	.50
Phlox, Grandiflora, in 6 colors,	- - -	.40
Portulacca, double flowered, in 6 colors,	- - -	.60
Scariosa, in 6 colors,	- - -	.25
Stocks, dwarf, largest flowering, ten weeks, in 6 colors,	- - -	.50
Verbena, large flowering, in 6 colors,	- - -	.75
Zinnia, double dwarf, in 6 colors,	- - -	.25
Zinnia, double dwarf, in 8 colors,	- - -	.35



**Floral Garden Trowel.**—Polished steel blade 6 inches long and  $1\frac{5}{8}$  inches wide. Hardwood handle, malleable shank, fastened to blade with two rivets, brass ferrule. Each, 20c.; by mail, 25c. Garden Trowels, various styles, 10c., 15c. and 20c. each.



**Excelsior Hand Weeder.**—Useful for stirring soil in hot-beds, weeding seed-beds, etc. Indispensable in every flower garden. 20c. each; by mail, 25c.



		Each.	Dozen.			Dozen.
Three inch,	- - -	\$0.03	\$0.25	Saucers,	- - -	\$0.15
Four inch,	- - -	.04	.35	Saucers,	- - -	.30
Five inch,	- - -	.05	.60	Saucers,	- - -	.30
Six inch,	- - -	.07	.70	Saucers,	- - -	.35
Seven inch,	- - -	.10	1.00	Saucers,	- - -	.40
Nine inch,	- - -	.15	1.75	Saucers,	- - -	.50
Ten inch,	- - -	.20	2.25	Saucers,	- - -	.60

**Standard Flower Pots.**—We are prepared to furnish Standard Flower Pots, in casks, assorted to suit. Will ship direct from manufactory, thus saving freight. Wholesale price on application, to florists and dealers.

# SUMMER FLOWERING BULBS.

## TUBEROUS BEGONIA.



Another year's trial justifies us in still placing the Tuberous Begonia at the head of the list of Summer Flowering Bulbs. For both bedding and growing in pots they are unrivalled; no flowers surpass them in brilliancy, richness and variety of colors. Our bulbs are all two years old, sound and well cured. Old, large Tuberous Begonia bulbs, make more foliage, but fewer and inferior blossoms. We send cultural directions with every lot of bulbs.

Crimson shades, by mail, 15c. each; \$1.50 dozen.

Pink and Salmon shades, by mail, 15c. each; \$1.50 dozen.

Scarlet shades, by mail, 15c. each; \$1.50 dozen.

White, and White with colors, by mail, 15c. each; \$1.50 dozen.

Yellow, light and dark, by mail, 20c. each; \$2.00 dozen.

Mixed, all different, finest varieties, by mail, 15c. each; \$1.50 dozen.

## GLADIOLUS.

Nothing in Flora's Kingdom is so easy of culture as the Gladiolus; it will thrive in any soil, from heavy clay to pure sand. Its colors are so varied and blended that no other flower approaches it in this respect. If the spikes are cut when the first blossom opens, and put in water, they will last about two weeks. Plant from April to July. Our Gladioli are the cream and selection of several years crops of seedlings; every common one has been culled out; not one of the finest ones has been taken out. The World's Fair medal for best collection of cut Gladioli, was awarded for the collection from which our bulbs came. Gladiolus, Exposition mixture, each, 5c.; dozen, 50c.; hundred, by express, \$3.50.

We guarantee the Exposition mixture to contain no *Brenchleyensis*, and no two to be exactly alike in flower. Cultural sheet sent with each order.



**Madeira Vine**, or Climbing Mignonette. A rapid growing vine, with glossy leaves and long, pendulous, fine white flowers; very fragrant. 5c. each; 50c. dozen.



**NEW TUBEROSE,  
"ALBINO."**

*Awarded Certificate by the National Florists' Convention, U. S. A.*

The "Albino," new branching tuberose, is thirty (30) days earlier than the old single variety, blooming in July and August. Its flowers are the purest, waxy white; the odor is like Jessamine or Stephanotis, less heavy than the common Tuberose. From two to five flower stems are thrown from a single bulb, the flowers are very numerous and recurve gracefully from their stems. New and beautiful. 15c. each; \$1.50 per dozen, by mail.



**Sheep Manure.**—The best natural manure for plants, the most convenient to use, and the quickest to act. It quickly makes the richest liquid manure, and is the safest to apply to plants. Extensively used by florists. For potting soil, thoroughly mix one part sheep manure with six parts earth. Sheep manure, 10 lb bag, 50c; 100 lb, \$3.25. Wholesale price on application.



### LILIUM AURATUM.

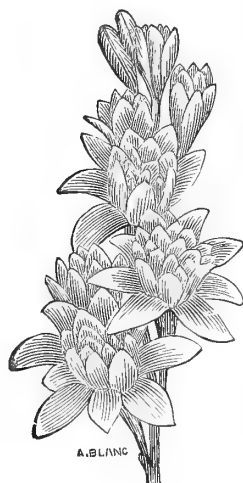
The **Golden Banded Lily** of Japan is the most magnificent of all Lilies. Our stock is fine and sound, imported from Japan. 25c. each; \$2.25 dozen.

**Lilium Speciosum Roseum.** White, shaded and spotted with rose; fragrant. 20c. each; \$2.00 dozen.

**Lilium Speciosum Album.** Pure white; very fragrant. 25c. each; \$2.50 dozen. 20c. each; \$2.00 dozen.

### GLOXINIA.

**Gloxinia.** Finest French, tigered and spotted, (*Crassifolia Grandiflora Erecta*). 20c. each; \$2.00 dozen.



### NEW DOUBLE PEARL TUBEROSE.

We have the finest strain of double Tuberose. The flowers are very double, the spikes very heavy, while the stalk is not over two feet high. We have 5000 bulbs of the largest size, selected from a lot of 200,000. Price of these monster bulbs, 8c. each; 75c. dozen, by mail; \$2.20 hundred, by express. Extra size bulbs, 4 to 6 inches, 5c. each; 45c. dozen; \$2.50 hundred, by mail.



### PLANT STAKES.

**Green Painted Square Stakes.**—3 ft., 50c. dozen; 4 ft., 75c. dozen; 5 ft., \$1.00 dozen; 6 ft., \$1.50 dozen.

**Cane Stakes.**—The cheapest, strongest and most durable plant stick. 3 to 4 ft. long, 25c. dozen; 7 to 8 ft., 50c. dozen. We sell quantities of cane sticks for making easels, stands, frames and many pretty and inexpensive ornaments for the house.

### IPOMOEA.

**Pandurata**; the hardy, day-blooming Moonflower. Of rapid growth, foliage handsome, large flowers, white with purple throats. Tubers, 15c. each; 2 for 25c. by mail.

**Zephyranthus, Rosea.**—Large flowers, of beautiful, clear rose pink. Blooms in early Summer; also good for potting in the Fall. 5c. each; 45c. dozen, by mail.

**BULB CULTURE.**—We furnish full Culture Directions with each variety sold. Use our fine bulbs, follow directions and success is certain.

**BULBS FOR FALL PLANTING.**—We import, direct from the best Holland sources, a choice variety of **Selected Dutch Flowering Bulbs.** These Bulbs can be obtained only from September to December. Price list of Fall Bulbs will be issued next September, and mailed to customers.

## CANNA.

All our Cannas, not our own growing, were bought from the growers who received the highest awards at the World's Fair.

**Captain P. De Suzzonii.**—The best yellow Canna. Flower large and very showy with brilliant scarlet markings. Very large spike of bloom, foliage green, heavy. 40c. each; \$4.00 dozen.

**Florence Vaughn.**—Yellow, spotted with bright red. Flowers of largest size, with large heads. Very free bloomer. 60c. each; \$6.00 dozen.

**Madam Crozy.**—The ideal Canna. Flaming scarlet flowers of largest size, edged with bright gold. 25c. each; \$2.75 dozen.

**Paul Marquant.**—The largest flower of all, and throws the most and largest flower spikes. Color, bright salmon with carmine tint; glistening and very brilliant. 35c. each; \$3.50 dozen.

One each of above four Cannas for \$1.25. The above varieties received the highest awards at the World's Fair.

**Explorateur Crambel.**—Cardinal, splashed with bright crimson. Extra large flower, large spikes. 35c. each; \$3.50 dozen.

**Star of '91.**—More dwarf than Crozy, but flowers not as large. Bright, fire scarlet, 3 feet. 30c. each; \$3.00 dozen.

**Miss Sarah Hill.**—Carmine Crimson. Beautiful flower, very free bloomer. Dwarf and compact habit. 30c. each; \$3.00 dozen.

**Ventura.**—Tall variety, with large orange scarlet flowers. Introduced last season, and very popular. 40c. each; \$4.00 dozen.

**Tiger, or Childsi.**—Yellow, spotted crimson. Very handsome and free bloomer, 3 feet. 30c. each; \$3.00 dozen.

**Flaccida (Orchid Canna).**—Large blossoms. Beautiful, clear canary yellow, the rarest and most sought for color among Cannas, 3 feet. 20c. each; \$2.25 dozen.

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**NOTICE.** We have an unusually large and fine stock of Tuberose and Giadioli bulbs, and instead of wholesaling, we prefer to give our patrons the benefit. We therefore offer them at very low prices.

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## PEACOCK OR SHELL FLOWER.

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Tigridia.



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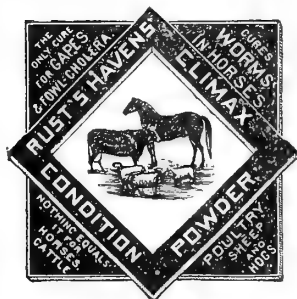
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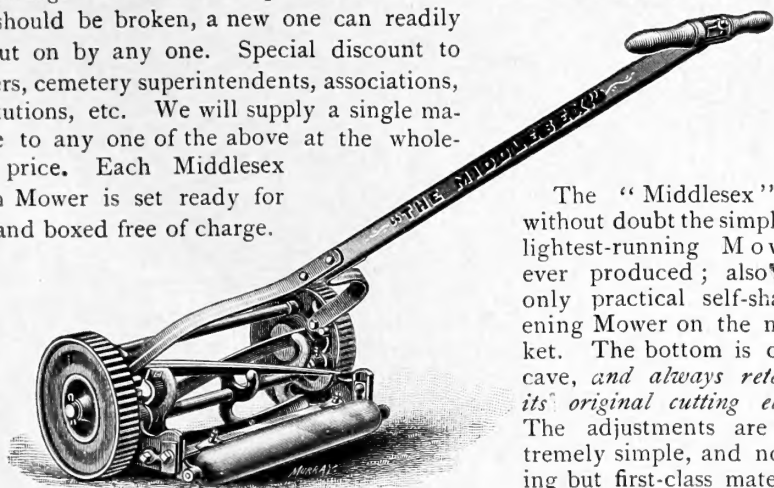
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The New "Middlesex" Lawn Mower combines the latest improvements, with the *new concave, or corrugated cutting plate*, which is *positively self-sharpening*. The knives are put on with screws instead of rivets, and in case one should be broken, a new one can readily be put on by any one. Special discount to dealers, cemetery superintendents, associations, institutions, etc. We will supply a single machine to any one of the above at the whole-sale price. Each Middlesex Lawn Mower is set ready for use, and boxed free of charge.



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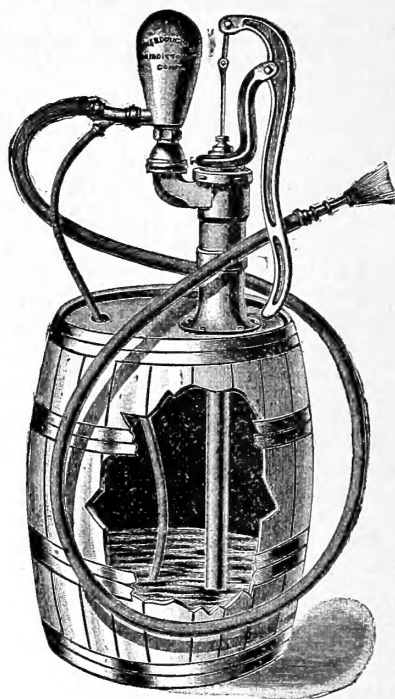
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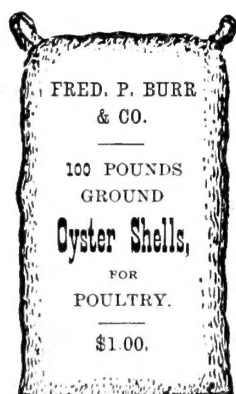
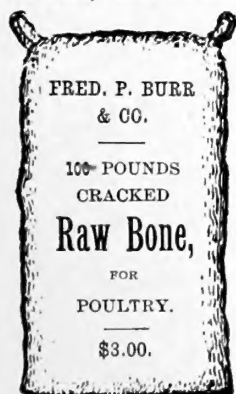
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